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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

The Water Bearer
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All of the issues containing it
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Bargains in second-hand Buicks, Chevrolets, Dodges and Ford Coupes. C. R. Gaines & Son. 35-ft.

Several from here attended the Medina Ranch Short Course near Macdona during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Batot returned the first of the week from their week's visit to Corpus Christi.

A seven-room house for rent, convenient to the school house. Ask at this office or ring phone 127. tf.

The Alto Frio Baptist encampment is drawing such of our people as can get away to attend this week.

Jim Goff and family were here from Goose Creek for the funeral of Mr. Goff's brother, Grover C. Goff.

Dr. and Mrs. R. P. Thomas were here Sunday from San Antonio to attend the funeral of the late Grover C. Goff.

Judge A. M. Lamm united Felipe Bellegras and Miss Maria Flores in marriage at the court house last Saturday.

Mrs. Louis Scherrer and Mrs. L. E. Isom and baby motored out from San Antonio Thursday evening for a several day's visit with Mrs. Scherrer's sister, Mrs. Fletcher Davis.

S. G. Carter has been attending a meeting of Overland dealers at Dallas this week. He is expected home to-day and will have a brand new Overland model on exhibition.

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Haass, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Jagge and son, Clinton, Mrs. Albert Bendele and Mrs. Eugene Pruitt are camping on Devil's River and report a most enjoyable time.

The grand jury for the term were empaneled as follows: Geo. Garrett, Wm. Burrell, Paul Koenig, Ed. J. Haby, Clemens Finger, Jack Lacy, Louis Mehr, Joe Monkhouse, Eug. Kessner, G. R. Heyen, Chas. Finger and Wm. Windrow.

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Blum's Immense Stocks and Special Purchases!

A Short Time Sale!

BLUM'S

The Exclusive Specialty House for Feminine Apparel
San Antonio, Texas.

Quihi defeated Camp Normyle in a fast game of baseball played on the Quihi diamond, July 11. Camp Normyle scored two runs, Quihi three. Oefinger for Quihi pitched a splendid game, allowing only two hits and striking out twelve men. Next Sunday Quihi will play LaCoste.

A fine rain of .5 of an inch fell here Tuesday morning. The rain was preceded by the highest temperature of the season, 102. Following the rain there was a sudden drop to 86. The rain was timely and will be greatly beneficial to growing crops.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wiede stopped over from Friday until Sunday and visited Mrs. Wiede's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Gaines, while enroute home to Lockhart from a visit to the coast country. They left for home Sunday.

NOTICE—I am now Agent for the New Model Star Windmill. No Oil-Em or Temken bearings. For latest prices see P. H. Renken, Hondo.

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F. Marion Davis spent Sunday at home from Fort Sam Houston.

Fresh fish every Friday morning at Earl Watson's.

Fishing Tackle—Holloway Bros.

Electric irons, Holloway Bros.

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A TIME TO BE VIGILANT.

"Eternal vigilance is the price of liberty."

Likewise—of political safety!

Two years ago, after three hard-fought battles at the ballot-box, the enemies of free-government in Texas were routed and the rule of law and order restored to the people.

But rallying in secret conclave, these self-styled and self-prided subjects of the invisible empire are throwing their united strength to what they regard as the largest body of disgruntled recalcitrants in the hope of defeating Mrs. Ferguson and at the same time placing the successful candidate under obligations to them.

The same boast will be made of having encompassed her defeat and the same obligation to them will be claimed should either Moody or Davidson or to fail to vote for Mrs. Ferguson is to sacrifice the hard won victory of two-years ago and to again invite the domination of the invisible empire in our great state.

No amount of sophistry can cover up the hard, cold facts of this statement.

Men and women, pause before it is too late; give reason a chance to grasp the logic of the situation.

Then your better judgment must assert itself and you will realize that there must be no turning back at this crucial moment.

Mrs. Ferguson must be re-elected and you must help with your vote.

Do not fail to vote for her July 24th.

To fail to vote for her now is to abandon the fruits of our victory two years ago and to invite a return of the ills for which we



OUR GOVERNOR.

turned to her for relief in our hour of extremity.

Let us be on guard with our ballots July 24th.

Hon. A. J. Durham was in Hondo Monday in the interest of his candidacy for re-election to the State Legislature. Mr. Durham is well pleased with his prospects over the district.

Rev. Walter T. Davis was here Saturday enroute from Pearsall to Alto Frio to attend the Baptist encampment.

Let Fly Drug Co. complete your fishing kit.

Quihi Gun Club

DANCE

JULY 24th.

Everybody Invited.

Owing to too many other diversions in town last Monday night, the benefit concert at the auditorium, under the auspices of the Fire Department, was not very well attended and the returns were very disappointing. Those who attended were rewarded by a pleasing entertainment, Misses Ringo and Graham both being artists in their lines.

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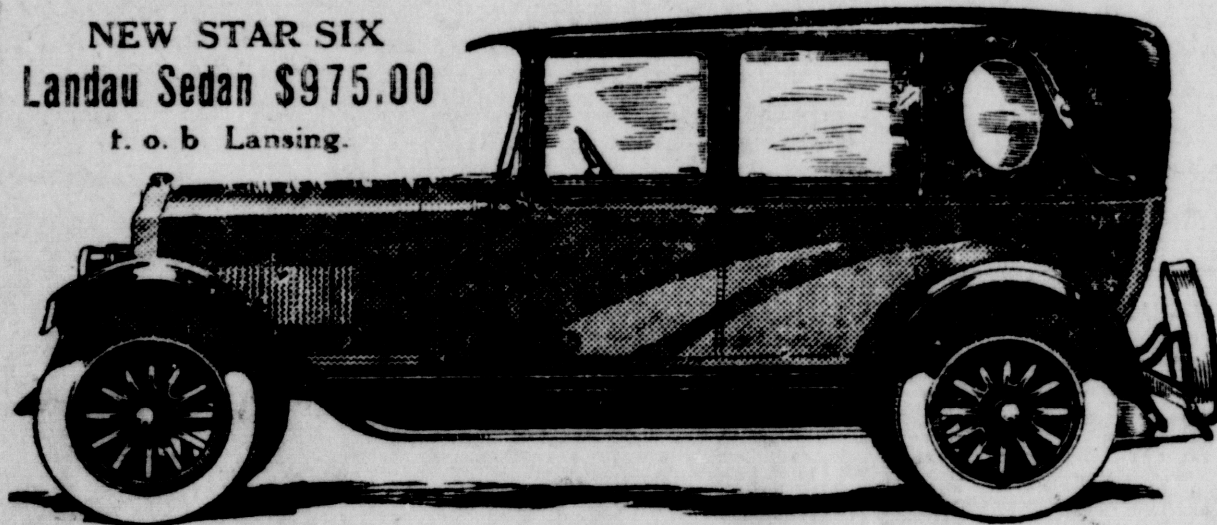
30X3 1/2 REGULAR CORD CASING	\$11.20	Tubes \$2.50
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33X5 HEAVY DUTY CORD	\$48.00	\$7.00
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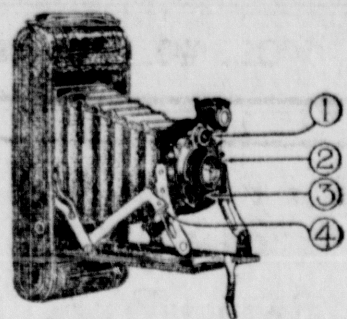
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Read **FARMING**—one year with this paper for only 50c more.

FOR SALE—A residence in Hondo. See J. A. Blackburn. 47-tf.

Miss Lorine Fuos of San Antonio spent last weekend here with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schweers.

TAKE ON YOUR CAMPING TRIP A BRUNSWICK PORTABLE FOR \$30.00. AT C. R. GAINES.

Walter Meyer and Joe Harvey Wilson are among those attending the Baptist encampment at Alto Frio.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Batot and Mrs. Alice Reinhart returned Sunday from a delightful trip to Corpus Christi.

Remember we are well equipped to vulcanize your tires and tubes. It is economy to do so. Citizens Motor car Co.

Mrs. C. P. Hasskarl of Quihi left last Monday night for Brenham where she expects to spend several weeks with her children who all live there.

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Dr. C. L. McClellan, Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Specialist, will be in Hondo the first Thursday in August. Ask your family doctor for an appointment. 51-3t.

Misses Hazel and Octavia de Montel were over from Castroville Thursday visiting relatives, coming over with their sisters, Mesdames Hodges and Godbold.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Boon have returned from a very delightful trip to "the valley". They spent several days at Corpus Christi, visited Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Baily at Karnes City, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Merritt at Sinton, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Littleton at Taft and Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Black at San Bonita.

WANTED.—Twelve young men twenty to twenty five years of age, must be healthy, strong and willing to work and learn trade. Wages will be moderate at beginning. Can also use a few good experienced cabinet workers and lumber mill machine men. Curocity seekers need not reply. State age, experience and whether you expect to stick to the job or not in your reply. Address E. M. Zerr, President & Treasurer, Standard Body & Mfg. Co., 901 S. Medina St., San Antonio, Tex. 50-it

J. M. Reilly and family, after visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Reilly, for a week, departed this morning on their return trip to Crandall, Miss., where Mr. Reilly holds a responsible position with the Long Bell Lumber Co. He has been with the company four years. He says Texas looks good to him in general, and Hondo in particular. While here he was visited by his brother, Paul Reilly, and family, of Anson, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Martin and baby came over from Pearsall Wednesday morning. Mr. Martin returned to Pearsall the same day, while Mrs. Martin and baby remained over for a visit with relatives.

Misses Mary Crouch, Lizzie Wright, Hettie Crow left the first of the week for the Alto Frio Encampment.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hodges and baby and Mr. and Mrs. Sank Godbold of Dallas motored over from Castroville, where they are visiting the ladies' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert de Montel, and spent Thursday here as the guests of Miss Lucille de Montel and other relatives.

H. E. Haass, Attorney-at-Law, Surveyor's Office, Courthouse, Hondo, Texas. All legal matters carefully attended to, in all courts of Texas. Manager Medina County Abstract Company. Road Maps of Medina County, cloth. \$5. paper. \$3. 15

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Mr and Mrs. Felix Batot are spending the week at Corpus Christi.

FADA Radios give you service the year round. Fly Drug Co.

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Mrs. John Finger was home from the hospital in San Antonio for a few days this week.

Miss Margaret Kilhorn of San Antonio is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Fritz De Grodt, and other relatives.

We are now buying infertile eggs at a premium over ordinary yard eggs. Come get our price. Earl Watson.

Guaranteed Prest-O-Lite Batteries. \$15.00 and up. We charge and repair any make. Battery Service Free. Citizens Motor Car Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Robertson and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Holloway and baby were here Sunday from La Grange visiting Mrs. Ella Woods and other relatives.

Miss Clara Filleman returned Sunday from a several week's trip to El Paso and Cloudercroft. At El Paso she was the guest of Mrs. H. J. Alford for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Boon and daughter, Miss Lucille, and Miss Helen Breeding spent Thursday in San Antonio with Mrs. Boon's and Miss Breeding's sister, Mrs. S. Billings.

Mrs. Lucy McFarling (nee Johns) and daughter, Miss Susan, of Shawnee, Okla., were here this week visiting Mrs. L. J. Brucks and other friends of Mrs. McFarling's girlhood days.

Among those attending the Short Course at the Medina Herford Ranch Thursday were Mrs. Theo. Barnes and children, Mrs. E. J. Murray and children and Mrs. F. H. Schweers and son, Roy.

F. M. Davis came home from the Reserve Officer's Training Camp to spend the week-end at home before leaving early Monday morning for the rifle range at Camp Bullis. The camp will close about July 23rd.

The lawn party given by the Catholic ladies at the De Montel home Wednesday evening drew a large crowd and was a success in every way, netting a neat sum to the building fund for the new school building.

R. J. Good and family, enroute from Pasadena to Lampasas, to which place they are moving to make their future home, stopped over here for a few days and visited Geo. H. Kimmey. Mesdames Kimmey and Good are sisters.

Mrs. Jim Goff and daughter, who came from Goose Creek for the funeral of the late G. C. Goff Sunday, remained over for a visit with Mrs. Goff's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Bendele Sr. and sisters, Mrs. Adolph Pichot and Mrs. Ben Oefinger.

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FRESH FRUITS
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Due to an inch and a half of rain in western Medina County the barbecue dinner which the Sabinal Chamber of Commerce had planned for Thursday noon on the Kenedy ranch when the Alamo Drilling & Leasing Co. well is spudded in, has been postponed. Fields were in such condition following the rain that it is doubtful if the well can be spudded in on that day and it would be impossible for a crowd to get to the well.—Thursday's Express.

The Southern Pacific Federation of the Epworth League held their quarterly meeting at Yancey last Saturday and Sunday. Three leaguers were in attendance from Uvalde, being Lou Baylor, Ima Eldridge and Ike Moore. All report a fine time. A large delegation was present from Hondo. The next meeting will be held at Hondo.—Uvalde Leader News.

If you are a reader of Ferguson's Forum or want to read it, remit your renewal or subscription through this office. The Forum is more interesting and valuable now, since Mrs. Ferguson is Governor, than ever before. Send \$2.00, the regular price of the Forum, to us and receive both it and FARMING for a year. Fletcher's Farming, Hondo, Texas. 30-tf.

We appreciate the favor when write-ups of social, club, lodge, church, etc., affairs are handed in for publication. Help us make the Anvil Herald a newsy paper. 41-tf.

Misses Lena and Stella Stone returned last week from their cruise to Havana and Panama, and report a very interesting trip.

Mrs. Nora Lopez and Miss Olga Polch of San Antonio spent several days here visiting Mrs. F. L. Graff and Miss Edna Graff.

M. E. Howard of Devine, now with the San Antonio Trust Co., at Natalia, was a very pleasant caller at our office Thursday.

Mrs. Leo Schweers and son, Master Leo Jr., were here from Eagle Pass Wednesday visiting Sheriff and Mrs. J. F. Bader.

Miss Cora Wright has gone to Lytton Springs where she will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. Origen Crow.

O. H. Miller and R. J. Noonan made a business trip to San Antonio Wednesday.

Rev. and Mrs. W. C. Brown left Tuesday for Timpon where they will spend their month's vacation.

Reinhart Rothe made a trip to Eagle Pass the first of the week.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce **JOE BADER** as a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff of Medina County at the November election.

FOR PUBLIC WEIGHER,

We are authorized to announce **W. F. MILLER** as a candidate for Public Weigher of Commissioners Precinct No. 1 at the November election.

The COLONIAL

"THE HOME OF HIGH-CLASS ENTERTAINMENT"

Saturday, July 17th
"MAN IN THE SADDLE"
"HOLD YOUR HAT"

Monday and Tuesday, July 19 and 20
"MORE PAY LESS WORK"
"SHOOTIN' FOOL"

Thursday and Friday, July 22 and 23
"LADY WINDERMERE'S FAN"
"FELIX 'BRAVES THE BRINY'"

Saturday, July 24
"THE FIGHTING BUCKAROO"
"CLEANING UP"

Hereafter the Show Will Start at 8:30 Sharp.

MATINEE SATURDAYS
at 3:00 p. m.

Special Prices, 10 and 20c
ATTEND THE MATINEE
KEEP COOL.

40,000 cubic feet of Cool Fresh Air Circulated in this Theatre every minute. Our mammoth cooling System will keep you COOL.

G. C. GOFF BURIED.

The body of Grover C. Goff, whose death occurred suddenly at Pueblo, Colorado, Thursday, July 8, 1926, arrived here on the noon train Sunday and was conveyed at once to Oakwood cemetery for interment. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. A. H. D. McCurdy of San Antonio who delivered one of the prettiest discourses on the Christian's hope of immortality the writer ever heard.

There was a large attendance of friends at the funeral, among them many of the deceased's fellow traveling men from San Antonio and other points.

The active pallbearers were: H. R. Bailey, C. C. Rogers, Ben Oefinger, Geo. Schuehle, And. Bless and Gus Wiemers.

The following were honorary pallbearers: Dr. R. P. Thomas, San Antonio; R. W. Heath, San Antonio; E. Canfield, San Antonio; Frank McGlassen, San Antonio. Tom Miller, Del Rio; Oscar Weinert, Del Rio; C. O. Fokes, Del Rio; E. S. Gilbert, San Antonio; Ralph W. Russell, San Antonio; Tom Allee, San Antonio; L. J. Ross, San Antonio; A. W. Arnold, San Antonio; J. H. Neal, San Antonio; H. A. Hoeke, San Antonio; S. Monestier, San Antonio; E. H. Niemeyer, San Antonio; J. B. Drake, San Antonio; and H. M. Davis, San Antonio.

The deceased came to Hondo sixteen or eighteen years ago while little more than a boy. He engaged in the mercantile business here and married Miss Meda Merriweather, at that time a popular teacher in the Hondo Public School. Later they moved to San Antonio where Mr. Goff made his headquarters and traveled for a San Antonio firm. The trip to Colorado was undertaken as a summer vacation, and it is supposed that the sudden change to so high an altitude was too severe a strain on his weakened heart.

Mr. Goff was born at Sparta, Tenn., August 14, 1888. He has one brother and one sister in Texas, namely, James Goff of Goose Creek and Mrs. Tom Heath of Houston. His father, J. D. Goff, a step mother and a half brother, Joe Goff live at Sparta.

This paper joins in sympathy for the bereaved ones.

SPECIAL NOTICE TO AUTO OWNERS.

I have the exclusive agency for Exide Storage Batteries, the old reliable long life Storage Battery. Exide Storage Battery Co. is the oldest and largest battery manufacturing company in the United States. 6-volt Batteries, Wood Case, \$13.90; 6-volt Batteries, Rubber Case, \$15.80. All Batteries Guaranteed.

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SAVE with SAFETY
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Mrs. L. A. Mechler, assisted by Mrs. A. C. Lopez, C. J. Stiegler, Amanda Muennink and Ben Oefinger, entertained with a party Wednesday afternoon, July 14th, from 3 to 5 o'clock, in honor of Rev. and Mrs. G. E. Grueber, who are leaving the community for a new location.

Baskets of cut flowers were arranged about the rooms.

The guests included Mesdames F. Westfall, F. L. Graff, Joe Mechler, Jacob Karm and daughter, Hy Stiegler, Alb. Bilhartz, Chas. Wendland and daughter, Aug. Schroeder, R. W. Richter, Alice Reinhart, H. E. Haass, F. Batot, H. H. Balzen, Chas. Balzen, G. E. Miller, G. Leinweber, J. E. Goff (of Goose Creek), C. E. Martin (of Pearsall); Misses Hilda Grueber, Anne Leinweber (of San Antonio), Edna Graff, Olga Pulch (of San Antonio), Alice Muennink, Elva Bell Bilhartz, Thelma Ozell Bilhartz, Goldie Bilhartz, Lucille de Montel, Nettie Stiegler, Elva Westfall, Jessie Goff (of Pearsall), Irene Mechler, Messrs. Albert Bilhartz, H. H. Balzen Robert Grueber, Melvin Stiegler and Floyd Mechler.

HONDO GETS PATENTED.

A patented Coat Hanger will be given to any person free for the asking, either by mail, phone, or leaving your name at the box office at the Colonial Theatre. The hanger can be carried in the vest pocket, can easily be attached to woodwork, useful on vacations, home or abroad. They are free. Only one to a person, one to each person of the family. JENNINGS, TAILORS-CLEANERS

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SAVING TIME is just as important as saving money when buying the necessities of life. And by making as many of your purchases as possible in one place you can accomplish both results, providing you buy here.

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A round-up of Local, Personal and Business Items gathered weekly by our Regular Correspondent

Miss Thelma Langfeld

To whom all items intended for this column should be handed not later than Wednesday noon of each week. Miss Langfeld is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bilhartz and son, Norman, were visiting with relatives here last Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Deckert and son, Richard, from San Antonio were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Nehr Sunday.

Mr. Maurice Koch is visiting his aunt, Mrs. P. W. Deckert, in San Antonio this week.

Mrs. Jno. Zinsmeyer and Miss Grace Zinsmeyer were visiting at Hondo Wednesday afternoon.

Misses Annie and Elsie Nehr and Mr. Bill Nehr were visitors at Hondo Wednesday.

Mr. Hy Biry made a business trip to San Antonio Sunday.

Mrs. Emilia Deckert from San Antonio was visiting her sister, Mrs. Lena Langfeld, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Finger and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Carle Sr. and daughter, Agatha, were business visitors at the Alamo City last Thursday.

Master Charles Langfeld returned home Monday after visiting relatives at San Antonio for a few days.

Mrs. Fred Durbin was taken to the Santa Rosa Hospital one day last week. She was accompanied by Miss Laura Durbin and Dr. Turner.

Mrs. Aug. Wernette of San Antonio is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Maurice Finger.

Mrs. J. L. Williams, Mrs. A. J. Finger and little Mary Anne and Aggie Carle visited at Hondo Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Boog and children spent the week-end with relatives in San Antonio.

Mrs. O. W. Tondre returned home Sunday after a week's stay in San Antonio with Mrs. Bill Bitzskie.

Mrs. Harry Mueller is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Reinhart.

Miss Lena Reinhart returned Wednesday evening after a two week's visit to Corpus Christi and Converse.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Englefer and children returned to their home in San Antonio after a few day's visit with Mr. and Mrs. John Rieber.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schawe of Knippa visited with relatives in D'Hanis and Hondo Sunday.

Messrs. Fred and Erwin Carle from

San Antonio visited in D'Hanis one day this week.

Miss Hilda Rimkus left for San Antonio and Galveston on a visit to relatives and friends.

Miss Lena Rimkus is home on her three week's vacation.

Mrs. Emil Garteiser from Hondo returned to her home after a week's visit here with her sister, Mrs. Aug. Garteiser.

Mrs. Ferdie Koch and daughter, Miss Corine, and sons, Marvin and Tims, and Miss Mary Rudinger were Hondo visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ad. Lamm and baby from San Antonio, Mr. nad Mrs. Oscar Shane from Sabinal were the guests of Mrs. Regina Deckert here Sunday.

Mr. Phil Koch and neice, Miss Viola Koch, spent Wednesday evening in Hondo.

Messrs. Chas. and Geo. Schuehle were over from Hondo to look after their farm here Wednesday.

Mrs. Ed. Finger and son, Edward, were San Antonio visitors Thursday.

BUNCO CLUB.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Rieber delightfully entertained the members of the Jolly Bunco Club Sunday night.

After 20 games of Bunco were enjoyed by the guests, Mrs. Louis Carle was awarded ladies' high score and Mr. Bertram Simpson gentlemen's high score, while Mr. Frank Surwick was consoled with low. Mr. Louis Carle Jr. was the lucky one to cut the consolation prize. Dainty refreshments were served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Tondre, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Carle Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Earnest, Mr. and Mrs. Bertram Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Finger, Mr. and Mrs. Bill

Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Surwick and Mr. F. G. Muennink.

BIRTHDAY PARTY.

Mrs. Wm. Finger entertained about 50 guests Sunday afternoon, honoring her 52nd birthday. The guests present were her children and other relatives. A dainty lunch was served about 4 o'clock. About six o'clock they parted for their home and wished her many happy returns of the day.

EPWORTH LEAGUE PROGRAM.

July 18, 7 o'clock P. M.
Subject: "What Books are Worth While?"

Leader, Marietta Fly.
Song: No. 13, "Loyalty to Christ,"
Scripture Reading: 2 Tim. 4:13;
Acts 19:18, 19.

Sentence Prayers.
Talk Tested by the Bible, Miss Emma Muennink.

Talk: "Your Part", Marietta Fly.
Special Music, Esther Saathoff.
Talk: "What Shall I Read?", Miss Kate Henderson.

Talk: "A Turning Point", Leora Horger.

Song: No. 9, "He's a Wonderful Saviour to Me."
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Local, Personal and Business Items from This Busy Burg

CASTROVILLE, TEXAS, FRIDAY, JULY 16, 1926.

ED. HUEHNER, Local Representative

News or business matter for this page for the week's issue should be submitted to Mr. Huehner or mailed direct to us at Hondo not later than Wednesday night of each week.

The banns of Mr. Marion Hans and Miss Edith Haby were announced at St. Louis Church last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mangold and children of San Antonio were visiting relatives and friends in our midst the first of the week.

Jos. Hoog of San Antonio, brother of our beloved townsman, Judge Peter Hoog, was a business visitor in our midst the middle of the past week.

Our popular County Surveyor, H. V. Haass, of Hondo, was a Castroville business visitor.

Messrs. Jul. R. Tondre and Andrew Kempf, delegates to the Eucariatic Congress at Chicago, returning home Thursday.

A Mexican child died here last Saturday night and was laid to rest at the Mexican cemetery Sunday evening.

George Etter was a Hondo business visitor one day last week.

Quite a number from here attended the picnic at Geo. Echtle's Grove, on Lower Medina, Sunday afternoon.

A fine old time was had at the Jagge Ranch Sunday afternoon, the occasion being the tendering of a miscellaneous shower to Mr. Marion Hans, a groom of this week.

Wedding bells will ring at St. Louis church tomorrow.

News is very scarce this week. Our farmers are all busy threshing oats, cutting and shocking cornfeed.

While writing this a slow rain is falling and prospects are very promising for plenty more.

The highway people were getting ready this (Tuesday) morning to apply the first course treatment of the highway through town, but were stopped, owing to the rain.

Mrs. George Hodges went to San Antonio Wednesday to meet her husband, who motored down from Dallas, making the trip, 320 miles, in 13 hours. They came out from San Antonio Saturday and are now the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert de Montel.

Mrs. Fletcher Davis and children, and Misses Lucille de Montel and Elvira Rothe were over from Hondo Sunday visiting at the de Montel ranch.

Judge and Mrs. H. E. Haass and Miss Irene Haass spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert de Montel.

Little Miss Octavia de Montel returned home Sunday after spending the week with Miss Lucy Davis at Hondo.

Mr. and Mrs. Sank Godbold arrived Monday from Dallas for a several week's visit with Mrs. Godbold's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert de Montel.

947 State of Texas vs. Alcario Gomez, desertion of wife and child. Continued.

948 State of Texas vs. H. A. Zook, swindling by bogus check.

Civil Docket.

558 Adams National Bank vs. Mrs. L. A. Crawford Wilson, et ux, suit on notes. Continued.

602 R. N. Teel vs. J. B. Howard, suit on notes and foreclosure of chattel mortgage lien. Passed.

618 Adams National Bank vs. W. C. Dunlap, suit on promissory note. Dismissed at plaintiff's cost.

620 F. R. Briscoe vs. Mary C. Campbell, suit on note. Dismissed at plaintiff's cost.

639 Adams Company vs. Pedro L. Garcia and John T. Bivens, suit on note and foreclosure of chattel mortgage lien. Continued for term.

646 A. L. Haegelin vs. H. H. Haegelin, suit for debt. Dismissed at plaintiff's cost.

647 A. L. Haegelin vs. First National Bank of Hondo, garnishment. Dismissed at plaintiff's costs.

649 C. R. Thompson vs. Robert Foster, suit for debt. Passed, continued for the term.

651 Adams Company vs. W. M. Lee, suit on note and foreclosure of chattel mortgage lien. Dismissed at plaintiff's costs.

657 Adams Co. vs. Lonnie W. Wington, suit on promissory note. Dismissed at plaintiff's costs.

658 Adams Co. vs. E. F. Lee, suit on promissory note and foreclosure of chattel mortgage lien. Continued for service.

660 Vacuum Oil Co. vs. A. F. Leinweber and E. H. Frerichs, suit for debts. Postponed.

Civil Docket Appearance.

662 G. W. Hester vs. R. W. Thetford, application for Writ of Garnishment after judgement. Passed.

663 Sam Hardcastle vs. D. S. Hoad, suit for debt. Dismissed at plaintiff's costs.

664 Sam Hardcastle vs. Henderson and Holden, application for Writ of Garnishment. Dismissed at plaintiff's costs.

665 Adams Company vs. Presilano Franco, suit on note. Passed.

666 C. C. Godden vs. C. R. Thompson, suit on notes. Case postponed.

667 Louis A. Haby vs. A. O. Biediger, suit on note. Case came up for trial, plaintiff introduced his proof, and judgement is awarded to plaintiff for amount sued for including interest, attorney's fees and all costs of court for all of which let execution issue.

668 Louis A. Haby vs. Julius A. Tschirhart and Mrs. Almedia Tschirhart, suit on note. Execution issue for costs of court, attorney's fees, interest and amount sued for.

669 W. J. Bendele vs. Standard Exploration & Producing Co. et al, suit on account and foreclosure of Mechanic's Lien. Continued for service.

670 O. H. Miller vs. George R.

Heyen. Passed.

Deeds.

J. W. Heath and wife to Comal Power Company, warranty deed to all that certain piece and parcel of land out of the east half of Survey No. 183, originally granted to Francisco Sybelle. Consideration, \$130.00.

Mrs. F. J. Leinweber to Jesus Barrientes et al, warranty deed with vendor's lien to Lots Nos. 1 and 2 in Block No. 83, Hondo. Consideration, \$275.00 paid and secured to be paid.

Benito Solis and wife to Ignacio Solis, warranty deed to Lot No. 5 in Block No. 43. Consideration, \$60.

James R. Duncan to Annie L. Duncan, warranty deed to all his equal undivided one-fifth interest in and to 215 acres of land, the southeast part of J. L. Mann Survey No. 477, in Medina County, Texas. Consideration, \$1,030.00.

G. A. Wedemeyer et al to F. Bergman and Anna J. Sandbo, warranty deed to three tracts of land, 1st tract 184 1/2 acres out of surveys Nos. 1002 and 1002 1/2, 2nd tract 181 acres out of surveys Nos. 400 and 1002, 3rd tract 8 1/2 acres out of survey No. 1002 1/2. Consideration, \$24,293.30.

Jno. H. Hartung and wife to Otto H. Brucks, warranty deed to 110 acres of land, being 93 1/2 acres out of the N. E. part of survey No. 95 1/2 patented to P. Schuchart, and 16 2/3 acres out of the S. E. part of survey no. 180 patented to B. Brucks. Consideration, \$3,500.00.

J. E. Schlottman and wife to L. E. Kollman, warranty deed to Lots Nos. 1, 2, 3, 6, 7 and 8 in Block No. 13 in the Simon Mayer addition to the town of Hondo. Consideration, \$5,500.00.

Tom McClaugherty and wife to Jno. A. Horger, warranty deed to Lots 8 and 9 in Block No. 27. Consideration \$1.00 cash and the further consideration of the agreement of partition of the property and assets of the co-partnership firm of McClaugherty & Horger.

Births.

May 20, 1926, Mr. and Mrs. Pedro Castillo, Girl.

May 27, 1926, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Arnold Wernette, Boy.

June 10, 1926, Mr. and Mrs. Crencio Garcia, Girl.

June 7, 1926, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lee Herring, Girl.

June 13, 1926, Mr. and Mrs. Eldred Hudspeth, Girl.

June 16, 1926, Mr. and Mrs. Jack E. Ulbrich, Girl.

June 27, 1926, Mr. and Mrs. Ignacio Contreras, Girl.

Deaths.

June 2, 1926, Marria Jesus M. Salinas, 39 years.

June 5, 1926, Mrs. Anna Muenink, 80 years.

June 9, 1926, Maria Benevidas, 22 years.

June 12, 1926, Enrique Lugo, about 60 years.

June 13, 1926, Harm J. Lindeburg, 74 years.

June 15, 1926, Jose Jesus Cadena, 4 months.

June 17, 1926, John L. Moore Jr., 2 years.

June 23, 1926, Ellira Soliz, 4 da.

June 27, 1926, Louis Tschirhart, 68 years.

June 28, 1926, Patala Costoreno, 6 days.

Marriage Licenses.

June 18, 1926, Manuel Morales and Patricia Martinez.

June 26, 1926, Walter A. Brucks and Bertha M. Schweers.

June 29, 1926, Fred Watkins and Mabel McKinney.

June 29, 1926, Harold Noake and Cecil McKinney.

July 1, 1926, Ramon Castillo and Maria Ramirez.

July 1, 1926, Tom Duncan and Ida Berry.

July 3, 1926, Isabel Coronado and Jaunita Ibarra.

July 7, 1926, Estanislado Comez and Maria Bustamante.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Thallman were over from Hondo to attend the reunion.

Capt. Chas. de Montel and daughter were glad to greet him at the reunion. Captain Montel greatly enjoyed the big meeting with his old time friends.

Capt. Seco Smith's many friends were glad to greet him at the reunion. Captain Smith, who is now in his 91st year, is getting quite feeble, but his mind is clear and he talks very interestingly of early day events.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Ziegenbalg and children, of Hondo, were here to attend the reunion. Mr. Ziegenbalg is an enthusiastic reader of Frontier Times, and says he would not be without the little magazine.

FOURTH OF JULY VISITORS.

Among the visitors at the home of Captain and Mrs. Ben Batto last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Leo Mandy and children, Mrs. Mary Umscheid, Mrs. Hartwell, Ed. Pytel, Emil Hehn, Mr. Dorsey, all of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Will Ziegenbalg and family of Hondo, and Cosper Batto of LaGrange. The party enjoyed a splendid Fourth of July dinner given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Batto. Mrs. Hartwell, who is a specialist in the treatment of cancer, treated and cured Captain Batto of this dread affliction some time ago, removing the cancer completely, and her presence in the party added much to the pleasure of Captain and Mrs. Batto on this occasion.

Col. J. A. Head returned Monday from an extended trip through Kansas, Missouri, Oklahoma and Texas, where he visited friends and relatives. He was accompanied home by his little grand-daughter, Hazel Lee Head, of Tulsa, Okla., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Head, who will spend a few months here.

Mrs. J. E. Callahan was here from San Antonio to attend the reunion.

GASHED WITH HOG TUSK.

Ben Gerdes and children, Miss Evelyn, Stanley and Lester, were in from the East Verde yesterday. Mr. Gerdes came in for treatment for an ugly wound on the arm caused by a vicious pig. The animal's tusks ripped an ugly gash which required seven stitches to close.

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MARRIED.

Last Tuesday morning about 9 o'clock a very pretty church wedding took place in Bethlehem Lutheran church at Quihi, Reverend C. P. Haskarl, pastor of the church officiating. The groom and bride of the occasion were Mr. Charley J. Lindeburg and Miss Lydia Neitenhoefer of New Fountain. Both of these young people are widely and favorably known in their own and adjacent communities, where they have many relatives and friends who wish them joy and godspeed on their mutual way through life. The groomsmen was Mr. Emil J. Lindeburg, a cousin of the groom and the bridesmaid Miss Ella M. Neitenhoefer, a cousin of the bride. Aside of the bridal party quite a large number of relatives were present in the church to witness the solemn rite and to extend congratulations to the happy couple. Immediately after the service in the church the bridal party left for San Antonio. Upon their return Mr. and Mrs. Lindeburg will establish their home in the farm home of the mother of the groom, Mrs. Dirk Lindeburg. The bride is the accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Neitenhoefer and enjoys the love and esteem of all who know her. The groom is the son of the late Dirk Lindeburg and wife and is well thought of by his friends and neighbors and possesses the ambition and the energy essential to the making of a happy home. The Anvil Herald joins the host of neighbors and friends in extending congratulations to the happy couple.

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DEVINE NEWSLETS

the Devine News.
Mr. and Mrs. Will Barron and Mr.
Mrs. Yagel, of Iowa, were in
Tuesday, coming from the Rio
valley here. They went over
to visit Mrs. Barron's aunt,
Swearingen.

ST. JOSEPH NOTES.

Leo Goertz and Eddie Ehlin-
and family visited Fredricksburg
as far east as Red Rock this
report a fine trip and a visit
priest's home and parents.
and Mrs. George Kempf visit-
Fredricksburg a few days this
week.

Oliver McDoughall of San An-
day this week.
and Mrs. Eddie Ehlinger Jr.
family were D'Hanis visitors
day.

Misses Aug. Schott, Sr. and Jr.
New Braunfels visitors one day
past week.
Mr. Henry Keller of LaCoste was
guest of his brother, E. L. Bohl
family.

Miss Ehlinger and family spent
day in San Antonio.

FROM BIRY.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bilhartz and
daughters spent Sunday in
Hondo.
Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Posch were
visitors of Mrs. Minnie Echolls in
San Antonio Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Love from
the were guests of Mr. and Mrs.
Love Thursday.
Misses Breiten and Reo from Hon-
spend Wednesday evening with
Ed. Breiten.

Mr. Erving Hartung of San Anto-
spend the week end with his
Mr. Mrs. J. L. Wernette.
Miss Ina Mae Wernette spent
with her grandparents at
Medina.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Burnette from
Miss Petty from San An-
spent last Wednesday evening
Mr. and Mrs. Will Breiten.
Mr. and Mrs. Elbert DuBoise and
spend Saturday night with
father, Mr. John Love Sr., who
is doing so well. He has been
for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Tarver and babe
moved to Miranda City.
Mr. Ed. Breiten spent the week-
end in Hondo. She attended the
wedding of her daughter at 8 P.
Saturday.

Miss Mary Posch spent Saturday
evening in Hondo.
Mr. John Robinson of Black Creek
at a few minutes here one even-
ing past week.

Mr. Regina Schmidt and daugh-
ter from Hondo visited their sons
Friday.
Mr. and Mrs. Bilhartz went to San An-
tonio one day the past week.

HONORING REV. AND MRS. GRUEBER.

Last Friday night the Lutheran
congregation was, unceremoniously and
without further announcement, enter-
tained by members and friends of the
League, who stated their in-
tentions of having a party. Rev.
Mrs. Grueber, with a fine show
of enthusiasm and sportsmanship,
recovered from their surprise
entered into the spirit of the fun.
Lights and chairs were soon ar-
ranged on the lawn and for some
time the air—indisputable
money that all were enjoying the

refreshments of ice cream and
were served after which the
president of the League, in
well-chosen words, presented
and Mrs. Grueber with a set
of silver tea spoons in apprecia-
tion of the work and friendship which
have rendered the League dur-
ing their stay here. Rev. Grueber
ended with fitting words of
blessing and assured the young people
of his remembrance in years
to come.

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BIG TIME AT DEL RIO.

DEL RIO, Tex., July 13.—Yip, hi,
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and the city's seventh annual rodeo
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Del Rio promises that it will be
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of Commerce have raised \$5,000,
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additional for souvenirs and per-
sonal entertainment. This will mean
an expenditure of virtually a dollar
per person for entertainment for the
three days, July 27, 28, and 29.

No less than 250 large American
flags are being purchased with which
to decorate the town. A 100 by
100 stage is being erected for a free
dance on each of the three nights
and the Rathbone Virginian orchestra
of San Angelo hired to furnish the
dance music.

Over in Mexico there will be a
chuck wagon dinner, served where
Volstead is unknown.

Sellers Brothers are staging the
rodeo, to which one of the attractions
will be Chief Corral of Brenham,
a full-blooded Choctaw Indian, who
will enter the bronco riding con-
tests. The rodeos will be held each
afternoon after the business meeting
of the association and in the evening
after the dance. Purse of \$2,500
have been posted as prizes.

There will be real buffalo riding,
goat roping, bronco riding, wild
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sport known to the cowboy.

The sales will be held in the morn-
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prize sheep and goats from all parts
of the United States. The business
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house in the afternoons. Speakers of
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cured, headed by Congressman Claude
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INA OIL COMPANY CORING EDWARDS.

Ina Oil Company was coring the
Edwards Lime Wednesday in its No.
1 Hoffman, a wildcat test in Medina
County several miles south of Hon-
do. The first core taken in the Ed-
wards was at 1912. There is a lit-
tle sulphur odor and the expectation
is that within the next 50 feet the
well will either be an oil well or
sulphur well. This well has two
good shallow showings that were
thought sufficient to make commer-
cial wells. The Ina Oil Company's
wildcat on the Finger tract is drill-
ing with cable tools and is expecting
to pick up shallow production at a
round 900 feet.

North & South drilling its No. 1
Taylor a little north of the Medina
Oil Company's Taylor No. 1 has pene-
trated a 20-foot sand at 220 feet
that carried oil. The test is rig-
ged up with heavy type of rig for a
deep test and has not stopped to test
it out, but the company thinks enough
of it that it is moving in a light rig
to drill another well down to the
220-foot sand.

Kittle & Townley are pulling the
liner in their Bendele No. 1. They
have had a showing of oil at ap-
proximately 960, but due to water,
were not able to take a test. Tarver
& Sprague, who drilled the No. 1
Howard on Survey 91, over a mile
east of the Henderson & Holden gas
wells are rigging up on the J. O.
Redus 320-acre tract in Survey 92,
which adjoins the Howard tract on
the north. The well is located about
3,500 feet due north of the Howard
test.

It is reported that some additional
tests are to be made in that territory
by other operators. Schermerhorn
Oil Company has started its third test
in that territory southwest of Noonan
on the Irrigation Company land.

Due to a heavy rain the Sabinal
Chamber of Commerce has postponed
the barbecue it had planned to hold
Thursday to celebrate the spudding
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Express.

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give out before I had done
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(U. S. Mail.)

Train No. 227, due at 1:10 A. M.
EAST BOUND.

Train No. 104, due at 12:02 P. M.
(U. S. Mail.)

Train No. 8, due at 5:53 P. M.
(U. S. Mail.)

Train No. 228, due at 2:05 A. M.
No. 101, Sunset Limited, west bound,
due at 6:14 A. M., picks up pas-
sengers for points west of El Paso,
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sengers for New Orleans.

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LACOSTE LIDGERETS.

From the LaCoste Ledger.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Christilles and baby were San Antonio visitors Sunday. They were accompanied home by Theresa Mechler who will visit them for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Celeste Mechler and children from San Antonio were visiting homefolks here during the 4th of July. Mrs. Mechler remained here for a few days' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Zimmerman and sons, Homer and Gladen, of Houston, Mrs. W. C. Imbau of San Antonio were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Gus Zimmerman and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Keller here last Saturday.

Messrs. Alvin Drotcourt, Theo. Trip, Frank Keller Jr., and Archie Koontz were in San Antonio on the 4th of July to see the Automobile Races.

Otto P. Jr. and Idel Jungman, twins born to Mr. and Mrs. Otto P. Jungman, Monday, July 5th, 1926, were the pride and joy of their parents but a short time. The baby boy, born at 2:00 A. M. died the same day at 1:00 P. M. while the baby girl, born at 1:00 A. M. died at 4:00 P. M. also the same day of birth.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus A. Keller and daughter, Lillian, and son, Stanley, from here and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hans and Mrs. Mollie Hans from Castroville were San Antonio visitors Monday.

Frank Keller and son Oswald were San Antonio visitors last Thursday. They returned in the evening with a brand new Super-Six Hudson Auto, which Mr. Keller purchased in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Wolff of San Antonio were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joe Keller and grandpa and grandma Zimmerman here last Wednesday.

Messrs. Frank Keller Jr. and Archie Koontz left here Tuesday for Fort San Houston where they will enter the Citizen's Military Training Camp. They were accompanied to Camp by Frank Keller and daughters, Misses Clarissa and Octavia, and Miss Florence Conrad.

Mrs. L. A. Koontz, who was in a San Antonio Hospital since she was hurt in an auto accident last week, was brought home last Saturday. Although she is not able to go about yet, she has improved a great deal.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Keller and daughters, Misses Clarissa and Octavia, and Miss Ida Conrad and niece, Miss Florence Conrad were visiting relatives in San Antonio Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Eug. J. Keller and son and Paul Tschirhart were visiting at Divot Sunday. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Paul Tschirhart and children who had spent a few days with Mrs. T. H. Zinsmeyer and family there.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cook of San Antonio were visiting Mrs. Cook's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Keller, and great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Zimmerman, here Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Alois Haby and daughters, Mrs. George Boehme and Miss Irene and Mrs. Max Boehme from Rio-medina passed through here on their way home from Macdona Saturday, where they attended the funeral of the late Nic Jungman.

Mrs. Alfred Schorp and son and daughter of San Antonio, Mrs. Annie Barnes and daughter and son of Shreveport, La., Miss Louisa Vollmer and Joe Lieber of Castroville were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joe Keller and Mr. and Mrs. Gus Zimmerman here Monday.

Emil Christilles of San Antonio spent the 4th of July with homefolks here.

Miss Theresa Hans from Castroville was here visiting relatives and friends last Thursday.

Mrs. Theresa Obets and daughter Miss Florence, were San Antonio visitors Tuesday and Wednesday.

Rev. James Marsollier is the proud owner of a new Red Star Oil Stove, purchased from the LaCoste Mercantile Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Moody, Mrs. Louis Neumann and grandson of San Antonio were visiting relatives here last Friday.

Mrs. Mollie Hans and daughter Miss Theresa, and Miss Edith Haby from Castroville were visiting Gus A. Keller and family here Tuesday.

Louis Biediger and Erwin Conrad were San Antonio visitors last Saturday. Erwin remained there on a few days' visit with W. A. Reicherzer and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Keller and family from the Sauz were LaCoste visitors last Saturday.

Miss Alice Schmidt is visiting in San Antonio with relatives and friends for several weeks.

Miss Lucille Koontz, who is attending school in San Marcos, was home last week.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Conrad W. Ahr, a baby girl, Tuesday, July 6, 1926.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Zimmermann of Castroville and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Zimmermann of San Antonio were visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Keller here last Thursday.

Paul Echtle and children and Miss Nora Halty were visiting relatives at Devine Sunday.

R. U. Atkins, Superintendent of Medina Valley Irrigation Company, of Natalia, was transacting business here Wednesday.

Miss Ella Ahr of San Antonio was visiting her parents here Sunday.

Miss Emma Beldiger of San Antonio spent last week-end with homefolks here.

Rudolph D. Bippert was a short business visitor in San Antonio Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Zimmermann and daughter of San Antonio were visiting relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Tschirhart from near Hondo were seen in our midst last Friday.

Alvin Drotcourt was a San Antonio visitor Wednesday.

Alex Halty from Castroville was here on business Wednesday.

Frank Zeinert from Macdona was here on business Wednesday.

Frank Zinsmeyer from Rio-medina was here on business Tuesday.

Edw. Balzen from Sturm Hill was a business visitor here last Saturday.

Emil C. Haby from Rio-medina was here on business last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Schmidt and grandson of Biry were visiting here last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jungman and son, Walter, and grandpa, Mrs. Mayme Jungman, spent Monday with Misses Alma and Hilda Jungman at San Marcos. They were accompanied home by Miss Hilda, who spent several weeks there.

FIG INDUSTRY DEVELOPING IN TEXAS.

Substantial progress is reported in the development of the Texas Farm Bureau Fig Association at Alvin, Texas. A subsidiary corporation, known as the Fig Preserving & Storage Co., and having capital stock to the amount of \$5,000, has been set up and a new plant erected and completely equipped with new machinery for handling the perishable fruit.

About 130 farmers are members of the association, representing more than 14,000 acres of produced figs, with an annual output estimated at 2,000,000 pounds. The marketing contracts run for seven years, beginning with 1914. However, the 1914 crop was not handled, as the organization was not ready in time to receive it.

The assets of the Fig Preserving & Storage Co. include: Real Estate, \$2,500; plant equipment, \$40,000; supplies (sugar, etc.), \$10,000. In addition to the preserving plant, the company will operate a bonded warehouse, which will issue warehouse receipts on the preserved figs, these to be used in turn by the marketing association in making payments to members.

Sales will be handled through a Houston firm.

It is reported that there are at least six fig-preserving plants located between Houston and Galveston, Texas. The Magnolia is the only variety of fig grown commercially in this state. It is yellowish to brownish green, when ripe. The Celestial, which is a favorite variety in Louisiana, is much smaller, purple, and is not usually peeled when preserved. California, principally in the Fresno section, grows still another type of fig, which can be allowed to ripen on the tree (because of the dry climate) before it is picked. California ships many more fresh figs than does the Gulf Coast district, because they are higher in sugar content and drier, enabling them to reach distant markets in superior condition.

The fig industry in southeast Texas is growing rapidly, and possibly not more than half the trees have yet come into bearing. Thousands of acres have been planted during the last two years, and several large plantings will be put in this coming winter, according to local reports. This seems to be the one crop best adapted to the fertile, level, coastal plain country of Texas.

Crops and Markets.

MEN.

IT is often said of this or that man that he is a self-made man—that he was born of the poorest and humblest parents, and that with every obstacle to overcome he became great. This is a mistake. Poverty is generally an advantage. Most of the intellectual giants of the world have been nursed at the breast of poverty.

MOST of those who have climbed highest on the shining ladder of fame, commenced at the lowest round. They were reared in the straw thatched cottages of Europe; in the log houses of America; in the factories of the great cities; in the midst of toil; in the smoke and din of labor.

—Ingersoll.

SUMMING UP.

"Rastus, what kind of chickens do you prefer?"

"Co'se they both has mighty good points. De white chickens is easy to locate but hard to hide. De black chickens is hard to locate but easy to hide."

FERTILIZING.

By H. M. Madison.

A number of inquiries about fertilizers have been received and an attempt will be made to answer some of these inquiries entirely along the lines of general principles and without any attempt to use scientific phrases or scientific accuracy.

In a general way it may be stated there are three elements in fertilizers and each of these three elements has a purpose. These general elements are as follows:

(1) Nitrates. Their purpose is to produce plant growth.

(2) Phosphates. Their purpose is to bring about fruitage.

(3) Potash. Its purpose is to produce plant health, and quality and size in fruit.

Nitrates are referred to under different names and a brief explanation may be helpful. Some nitrates are mined, chief of which are nitrates of soda. These come from Chile and are sometimes called Chilean nitrates. A great deal of the controversy about Muscle Shoals has been concerning the "fixation" of nitrates from the air and a great deal has been said in and out of congress about the leasing of Muscle Shoals to Henry Ford or others and thus obtaining cheap fertilizer for farmers.

Another source of nitrates is in barnyard manure. In fact, this has been relied upon for many years by livestock farmers.

The natural source of nitrates is in clovers, cowpeas, and all other leguminous plants. On all such plants is a very small bacteria that attaches itself to hair-like roots and forms a small knot or nodule. In some way this bacteria has the power of taking nitrates from the air and "fixing" them in the soils. This is the reason why clovers, cowpeas, and other leguminous plants are so valuable for increasing the richness of soils.

In addition to this, they supply a certain amount of vegetable matter which is ordinarily called "humus" and which gradually rots and causes looseness in the soils and also makes soils retain moisture better. The fact that there are both nitrates and humus in leguminous plants has caused the word "nitrates" and "humus" to be used sometimes as though meaning the same thing.

The source of phosphates is animal bones and the reason these bones have been collected is to supply fertilizer factories. The fertilizer factory grinds these bones and in this state they are sometimes sold as ground bone. There is, however, another source from which these bones are obtained. There is the so-called phosphate beds. These beds are nothing more than accumulations of fish bones in the midst of sandy rock. In this form phosphates are referred to as rock phosphates.

The fertilizer factory grinds up this rock phosphate and sometimes it is sold in this form.

However, both the ground rock phosphates and the ground bone act very slowly because the bone will not dissolve readily in water. In order to make the bones readily dissolve in water they are treated with sulphuric acid and after this treatment they are termed "acid phosphates." In this form they will be quickly used by plants.

The other chief element in fertilizer is potash. There are several sources for this also. One of them is ordinary wood ashes. This form is probably the best that can be used in connection with fruit trees. There are also mines in Germany from which potash is obtained. In this form it is called "kainit." There are similar but smaller mines in other countries of Europe and it is believed there are large beds of potash in West Texas and explorations are now being made to locate them.

Potash is also a by-product of certain kinds of chemical manufacture.

There are other substances sometimes referred to as fertilizers, among these are lime. Its purpose is to take sourness out of soil and assist in making nitrates, phosphates, and potash more active. In other words, lime is a kind of stimulant to other plant foods. It might also be said that nitrates when combined with humus, as in manures and "sweet clovers," are remedies for alkali in soils, but their action is slow.

The use of fertilizers in drouth or under dry farming conditions has not been well understood and there has been much complaint about fertilizers "burning" crops. This is due entirely to the fact that fertilizers cannot act except when they are moist and when they are dry and touch the roots of plants they do have a tendency to cause "burning."

Whenever fertilizers are used where there is any reason to believe there might be a drouth or a dry period, fertilizers should be placed in the bottom of deep furrows or in some way put deep enough into the ground that they will always be moist.

By providing for moisture in connection with fertilizer in dry farming sections even larger benefits may come from fertilizing than in regions of higher rainfall. There is also the advantage that when fertilizer is placed in the ground in dry farming regions it will remain in the fall to wash out the plant foods.

—Southern Pacific Farm News.

TROUBLE AHEAD.

Henry's father, a farmer and stock grower, took several carloads of hogs, reared on his own farm, to Chicago, where he sold them to a great meat packing firm. While in Chicago, Henry's father received the following letter from his little boy:

"Dear Papa: Did you see Mr. Armour kill the big fat hog with the black tail and didn't he think he was a buster? I was sorry to see the hogs leave the farm, and most of all you."

"Your loving son, Henry."

SOUTHERN PACIFIC LINES

URGE ATTENDANCE AT FARMERS' SHORT COURSE.

Give Rate of Cent a Mile.

Extensive preparations are being made to take care of the large crowds expected at the Seventeenth Annual Farmers' Short Course, to be held at Texas A. & M. College at College Station, August 2nd to 7th, according to J. I. McGregor and H. M. Madison, agricultural agents of the Southern Pacific Lines.

The Short Course is open to any man, woman, boy or girl who wishes to learn more about the solution of farm and home problems.

It affords the farmer a chance to take a good vacation at a low cost and at the same time learn something worth while, according to Mr. McGregor.

Work in agriculture will be held in the following departments: Dairy Husbandry, Poultry Husbandry, Animal Husbandry, Agronomy, Horticulture, Forestry, and Agricultural Engineering. There will also be demonstrations in improved farm machinery and home equipment.

Courses in home demonstration work, especially adapted to the interest and needs of girls and women from rural communities, will be given. These will consist of demonstrations in the improvement of self and the home, the care of food, the protection of the home and the ways of increasing the family efficiency and income.

A special feature of the Short Course will be a Poultry Judging Contest, a Grain Judging Contest, and a Terracing Contest for boys. Loving cups and medals will be awarded.

Contests will also be held for the girls and women in buttonhole making, yeast bread making, and biscuit making, and awards will be made in several other contests.

Several groups of agricultural workers and organizations will hold their annual meetings during the Short Course. Among them are the following: The extension workers, consisting of County and Home Demonstration Agents and Specialists; the Superintendent of experiment stations; County School Superintendents; Agricultural Editors; Texas Bee Keepers; and Texas Farm Bureau Federation.

The Southern Pacific Lines are following their custom of cooperating with the farmers by continuing the custom started last year of giving a rate of one cent a mile from all points on their lines to College Station, with a minimum fare of \$1.50, according to W. C. McCormick, general passenger agent of the lines at Houston.

The round trip fare over the Southern Pacific Lines from Hondo to College Station will be \$4.90 via San Antonio and S. P. The tickets will be on sale from July 31st through August 4th. The final return limit is August 9th.

Meals will be furnished at the College Mess Hall at a nominal cost, and a room may be had in a dormitory at the rate of \$1.25 for the entire Short Course.

A weekly radio program is being broadcast from station KPRC at Houston from 7 to 7:30 P. M. each Thursday in which prominent agriculturists give reasons for attending the Short Course and its advantages.

WAS AND IS NOT.

A rich but very eccentric man died. The clergyman, who was young and new to the parish, thought it a fitting opportunity to call and comfort the widow. "You must not grieve," he told her. "The body that lies here is not your husband. It is merely a husk, an empty shell. The nut has gone to heaven."

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1/4 cotton seed meal

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1/2 ground corn, hominy feed or ground grain sorghum, ground barley or rice bran.

To the mixture add 1% ground bone meal and 1% salt. This ration is to be fed with all the roughage a cow will consume.

Here's the ration by weights:

100 lbs. cotton seed meal

100 lbs. wheat bran or ground oats

200 lbs. barley, ground corn or grain sorghums

4 lbs. steamed bone meal

4 lbs. salt.

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CONGRESSMAN JOHN N. GARNER.

THE VOTERS OF THE TENTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

cross misrepresentations being concerning me as well as my Congress by the opposition, in requesting my friends in my behalf; besides position, apparently, has money and is using it in vicious and unscrupulous Pennsylvania they hired what called "watchers" at \$10 per opposition has a number going over the district

circulating literature in which my position is misrepresented and making statements that have not the slightest foundation in fact. I have been in Congress twenty-four years and have had a number of opponents both Democrats and Republicans—this is the first time these indefensible methods have been resorted to, and I am fearful that some of the people, who do not know me, might be misled—therefore this statement. Thanking you for your continued support, I am,

Very truly yours,
JNO. N. GARNER.
Political Advertisement.

DEMOCRACY HIDE ITS FACE.

cracy is wont to be represent- Donkey. Democracy's emblem invest with life and comprehension. Respecting ass it would hide at the way some of its men are disporting themselves name in Texas to-day. eratic primaries were de- to let the democratic masses from among their best and most loved sons. found such an one, it has democratic precedent to vin- the wisdom of that choice by that choice the endorsement second term. two of democracy's sons— are the feelings of the Don- are going about over the brazenly asking the people to ance to that democratic pre- that has not been breache- for more than fifty years, ach if they succeed in doing solve every one from future allegiance to them and their

Incidentally they are saying about each other that if the true proves both unfitted and by of the confidence of the that they say is false they are a pair of liars to be deserv- respect. then neither without stulti- himself can later on support her as he must pledge himself when he goes into the primary. both are twice condemned as and underserving both ways out of their own mouths mouths of each other. in this particular we believe each says about the other is a, regardless of how they may otherwise.

erson charges, with overwhelm- ing evidence to support the asser- that Moody is the tool of ing oil trusts who seek through exploit Texas. charge, damning as it is, of calling forth a denial sup- by the exhibit of a clean only evokes a studded de- by the very men who are with being his masters. at more do you want to fasten and upon him?

the other hand, it is the brazen of this self-righteous accuser is a rich man and can afford the governor's office and pay expenses to get in. so stupid as to dream that people are so dull as not to sus- that a millionaire representa- of the lumber trust will seek his way into the governor's only for some selfish motive? he is and were ever so honest cupidity would unfit him for

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SID HARDIN SPEAKS.

Hon. Sid Hardin, as per announce- ment in last week's paper, spoke at the courthouse Tuesday night. Owing to the threatening weather only a small crowd attended. Mr. Hardin spoke for about an hour, outlining his position on the tariff, state rights, etc.

Mr. Hardin is in favor of a tariff on onions, cabbage, cattle, mohair, and wool, all products of his district, and criticized Judge Garners' position in Congress on the tariff question. On the matter of state rights, he is opposed to Federal interference in matters rightfully belonging to the states and was especially severe in his condemnation of the Federal inheritance tax.

Mr. Hardin is an easy fluent speaker and made a favorable impression on the few who braved the threaten- ing elements to hear him present his claims.

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- Kate Miller Johnston of Bexar County
- Edith E. Wilmans of Dallas County

For Lieutenant Governor:

- Barry Miller of Dallas County

For Attorney General:

- Thomas Simpson Christopher of Dallas County
- Claude Pollard of Harris County
- Chas. L. Brachfield of Rusk County
- James V. Allred of Wichita County
- T. K. Irwin of Dallas County

Jno. W. Hornsby of Travis County

For Comptroller of Public Accounts:

- S. H. Terrell of McLennan County

For State Treasurer:

- G. E. Johnson of Jones County
- George G. Garrett of Dallas County
- Grover Cleveland Harris of Dallas County
- W. Gregory Hatcher of Dallas County
- Ed. A. Christian, Jr., of Bexar County

J. R. Ball of Fannin County

Lon Garner of Stephens County

For State Superintendent of Public Instruction:

- S. M. N. Marrs of Travis County

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J. A. Humphries of Hockley County

For Commissioner of Agriculture:

- T. R. Bolin of Morris County

Geo. B. Terrell of Cherokee County

For Land Commissioner:

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- Robt. E. Speer of Dallas County

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For Associate Justice of the Supreme Court:

- William Pierson of Hunt County

For Associate Justice of Court of Civil Appeals, 4th Judicial District:

- Thos. D. Cobbs of Bexar County

For Judge of the Court of Criminal Appeals:

- F. L. Hawkins of Ellis County

Lee P. Pierson of Dallas County

For Representative in Congress for 15th District:

- Sid Hardin of Hidalgo County

Jno. N. Garner of Uvalde County

For Representative in State Legislature for 77th District

- J. F. Harris, Sr., of Zavala County

A. J. Durham, of Uvalde County

For Judge 38th Judicial District:

- L. J. Brucks of Medina County

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- W. C. Baker of Kerr County

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:

- J. W. Roberson

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For County Chairman:

For Precinct Chairman, Precinct No. _____



EX-GOVERNOR JAMES E. FERGUSON.

VINDICATE THE WISDOM OF 1924 BY STANDING BY IT IN 1925.

Get your gas mask ready—the biggest stink is probably yet to come!

As FARMING goes to press we are in the hectic days of the gubernatorial campaign.

Before another issue can reach our readers the issue of the campaign will have been determined at the polls July 24th.

It is, therefore, our duty to warn our readers to go to the polls and do their duty by supporting the administration of Mrs. Ferguson, and not be deterred by any wild tales that will no doubt be sprung at the last moment.

Of all the men ever in public life in America none have ever been worse persecuted or pursued by a more relentless gang of political conspirators than Jim Ferguson.

Among all our distinguished governor's no one's administration has been more deserving of our commendation and endorsement than has the administration of Mrs. Ferguson.

Both considerations should prompt every one who believes in fairness and who is worthy of being called a democrat to vote to sustain the democratic precedent of more than fifty years by giving Mrs. Ferguson a second term.

Two years ago, the majority of the people of Texas said by their votes that they would have no more of this persecution.

And it was hoped and prayed that when Mrs. Ferguson went into office she would have the moral support of all.

But the vindictiveness of the apostles of hate was misjudged.

The conspirators turned to a new leader and the fight went on.

And we find the young and ambitious head of one department of our government prostituting his department to the crippling of the administration of the governor's office instead of lending his assistance in making it the great success for which all good people prayed.

Lending themselves to the furtherance of this conspiracy, an unfriendly press attempted to arouse and inflame the people against this merciful woman by misrepresenting her exercise of the pardoning power and making insinuations that the yellow streak leading to their pocket-book nerve would not let them put into words.

Falling in this, they tried the bolder stroke of raising the highway muss, which, after dragging it out

as long as they could and making it a rather expensive farce for the state, they were doomed to see dwindle out to a harmless political fizzle.

Just as they were about to find themselves without a fake issue to hang a hope on, the unfortunate Archer County Road Bond decision came on and the same bunch, augmented by a bunch of bond crooks, sought to force Mrs. Ferguson to call an extra session of the legislature to no good purpose save to embarrass and harass her while a lot of bond sharks unload a lot of doubtful and depreciated bonds on a lot of suckers.

Unable to use her to their unholy purpose and bent on finding an issue upon which to condemn and discredit, they, as the latest of their stink-pot tactics, accused Jim of advocating repudiation of the state debt.

But in this, they threw their stink too soon; it bids fair, like the others, to remain only a foul smell in the nostrils of those who thought to profit by it before the election rolls around.

In the first place, the STATE'S credit is not involved. In the second place, the validity of certain district road bonds, illegally issued because a bunch of ignoramuses in the legislature could not write a valid road-district law and some Attorney General neglected his duty to give competent legal advice to other departments of the government, will be taken care of at the proper time, in the proper legal way by a vote of the people, just as provided by law and illustrious precedent.

Yes, indeed, your children would live to curse the day, just as Jim Ferguson said, should the precedent have been set of perpetrating a fake validation of invalid debts at the behest of a lot of bond speculators and their hired agents instead of taking care of our obligations in our own legal way.

So look out for the next stink-pot and have your mask ready!

Two years ago, the noble farm women of Texas, by joining their husbands at the polls, put Mrs. Ferguson where she is.

It is because we feel that they made no mistake then and are entitled to a just pride in the work of their hands that we appeal to them to repeat the good work again July 24th.

Vindicate the wisdom of your choice then by upholding it July 24th with a vote for the re-election of Mrs. Ferguson.

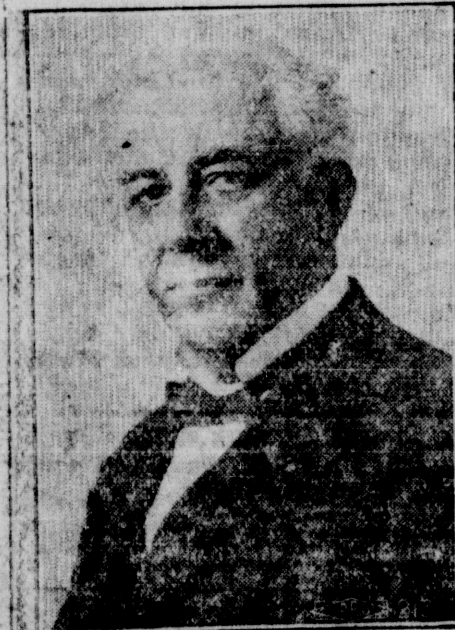
—From July Farming.

Quite a number from here attended the picnic at the Echtle grove below LaCoste last Sunday. A big picnic dinner, band music and public speaking were the main features of the entertainment. Among those who spoke at the special request of the

management of the picnic were District Judge L. J. Brucks and County Judge E. J. Noonan of this place. Judge Brucks delivered a masterly discourse on the fundamentals of our republican form of government, giving some wholesome instruction on one's duty as a citizen. Judge Noonan gave a lucid review of the great achievements of Mrs. Ferguson's administration which entitles her to re-election to a second term, and pointed out specifically where the people of Medina County owe her a large debt of gratitude for having granted them many favors. It is confidently expected that the people of Medina Valley will do the handsome thing next Saturday by rolling up an overwhelming majority for Mrs. Ferguson.

The Mississippi Free Lance is a virile and interesting weekly published at Jackson, Mississippi, by Ex-Governor Theo. G. Bilbo. It is \$2.00 a year and worth the money to any man who enjoys reading vigorous, forceful literature. Besides your subscription will help the Governor in his worthy ambition to again serve his people as their governor. Help him by sending your subscription for our club offer and get both the Free Lance and FARMING for \$2.00, the price of the Free Lance alone. Send your subscription to either paper and ask for both papers.

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PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 9.

A resolution proposing an amendment to Art. 7, of the Constitution of the State of Texas by changing Section 3, eliminating the provision authorizing the Legislature to create special districts and making an appropriation therefor.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. That Section 3, Article 7, of the Constitution be so changed as to read as follows: (creating new Section.)

"Section 3. One-fourth of the revenue derived from the State Occupation taxes and poll tax of one dollar on every inhabitant of the State, between the ages of twenty-one and sixty years, shall be set apart annually for the benefit of the public free schools; and in addition thereto, there shall be levied and collected an annual ad valorem State tax of such an amount not to exceed thirty-five cents on the one hundred (\$100.00) dollars valuation, as with the available school fund arising from all other sources, will be sufficient to maintain and support the public schools of this State for a period of not less than six months in each year, and it shall be the duty of the State Board of Education to set aside a sufficient amount out of the said tax to provide free text books for the use of children attending the public free schools of this State; providing, however, that should the limit of taxation herein named be insufficient the deficit may be met by appropriation from the general funds of the State and the Legislature may also provide for the formation of school districts by general laws; and all such school districts may embrace parts of two or more counties, and the Legislature shall be authorized to pass laws for the assessment and collection of taxes in all said districts and for the management and control of the public school or schools of such districts, whether such districts are composed of territory wholly within a county or in parts of two or more counties, and the Legislature may authorize an additional ad valorem tax to be levied and collected within all school districts heretofore formed or hereafter formed, for the further maintenance of public free schools, and for the erection and equipment of school buildings therein; provided that a majority of the qualified property tax paying voters of the district voting at an election to be held for that purpose shall vote such tax not to exceed in any one year one (1.00) dollar on the hundred dollars valuation of the property subject to taxation in such district, but the limitation upon the amount of school district tax herein authorized shall not apply to incorporated cities or towns constituting separate and independent school districts, nor to independent or common school districts created by general or special law."

SECTION 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the State at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1926, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words, "For the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas eliminating the provision which authorizes the Legislature to create special school districts," and all those opposed shall write or have printed on their ballots the words, "Against the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas eliminating the provision which authorizes the Legislature to create special school districts."

SECTION 3. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and to have same published as required by the Constitution and existing laws of the State.

SECTION 4. That the sum of two thousand (\$2,000.00) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State of Texas not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

Approved, April 4, 1925.
EMMA GRIGSBY MEHARG,
Secretary of State.
(A Correct Copy.)

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 7.

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas by amending Section 33 and Section 40 of Article 16 of the Constitution of Texas so as to permit officers of the National Guard, the National Guard Reserve, and the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States, and enlisted men of the National Guard, the National Guard Reserve, and the Organized Reserves of the United States to hold public office in Texas.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. That Section 33 of Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to read as follows:

"The accounting officers of this State shall neither draw nor pay a warrant upon the Treasury in favor of any person, for salary or compensation as agent, officer or appointee, who holds at the same time any other office or position of honor, trust, or profit, under this State or the United States; except as prescribed in this Constitution. Provided, that this restriction as to the drawing and paying of warrants upon the Treasury shall not apply to officers of the National Guard of Texas, the National Guard Reserve, the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States, nor to enlisted men of the National Guard, the National Guard Reserve, and the Organized Reserves of the United States."

SECTION 2. That Section 40 of Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to read as follows:

"No person shall hold or exercise, at the same time, more than one civil office of emolument, except that of Justice of the Peace, County Commissioner, Notary Public and Postmaster, officer of the National Guard, the National Guard Reserve, and the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States, and enlisted men of the National Guard, the National Guard Reserve, and the Organized Reserves of the United States, unless otherwise specially provided herein. Provided, that nothing in this Constitution shall be construed to prohibit an officer, or enlisted man of the National Guard, and the National Guard Reserve, or an officer in the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States, or an enlisted man in the Organized Reserves of the United States from holding in conjunction with such office any other office or position of honor, trust or profit, under this State or the United States."

SECTION 3. The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the first Tuesday in November A. D. 1926, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon:

"For the Constitutional Amendment permitting officers and enlisted men of the National Guard, and the National Guard Reserve, and officers of the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States, and enlisted men of the Organized Reserves of the United States, to hold other offices of position of honor, trust or profit under this State or the United States."

SECTION 4. The Governor shall issue the necessary Proclamation for said election, and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State. The expense of publication and election for such amendment shall be paid out of proper appropriation made by law.

Approved March 16, 1925.
EMMA GRIGSBY MEHARG,
Secretary of State
(A Correct Copy.)

Charter No. 1059. Official Statement of Financial Condition of the

D'HANIS STATE BANK

at D'Hanis, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 30th day of June, 1926, published in the Anvil Herald, a newspaper printed and published at Hondo, State of Texas, on the 17th day of July, 1926.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts, undoubtedly good on personal or collateral security	\$ 61,108.00
Furniture and Fixtures	881.25
Cash on hand	3,483.92
Due from approved reserve agents	34,326.82
Interest on Depositors' Guarantee Fund	1,050.82
Assessment Depositors' Guarantee Fund	1,600.61
TOTAL	\$102,451.42
GRAND TOTAL	\$102,451.42

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	10,000.00
Certified Surplus Fund	4,500.00
Other Surplus Fund	3,250.00
Undivided Profits, net	1,056.45
Dividends unpaid	500.00
Individual Deposits subject to check on which no interest is paid	73,635.49
Individual Deposits on which interest is paid or contracted to be paid	4,500.00
Time Certificates of Deposit	1,011.45
Public Funds on Deposit, school, \$3,994.58	3,994.58
Cashier's Checks Outstanding	3.45
TOTAL	\$102,451.42
GRAND TOTAL	\$102,451.42

STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Medina.
We, E. Zander, as President, and J. P. Ephraim, as Cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief

E. ZANDER, President,
J. P. EPHRAIM, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of July, A. D. 1926.
(Seal) ALF. ZINSMEYER,
Notary Public, Medina Co., Texas.

CORRECT-ATTEST:
ERIC ROTHE,
JACOB REILY,
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MRS. RIEBER AND HER CHILDREN.

One day while I was trying to write
I put my children out side,
For they were always at my side
When I tried to use the type.

Now one of them is crying,
So I must go out flying
Now what is the matter with you?
Shut up or I'll use my shoe.

The one that was crying was "Sonnie"
Sis says, "Mother, that wasn't funny—"
He slipped in the dirt,
That was the way he got hurt."

Mother picked up her boy,
Then his little heart was filled with "joy"
Mother gave him a squeeze,
That was the way he got pleased.

—Mrs. Edgar Rieber.

BOY SCOUT CAMP.

A Boy's camp will be opened on Devils River near Del Rio, August 12 to 21.

This camp is for all boys who wish to be Scouts who can get the permission of their parents or guardian and a Doctor's Certificate.

This is a wonderful opportunity for the boys to get out in the open and enjoy camp life under proper supervision.

The cost for the entire 10 days, including transportation and from Hondo will only be \$5.00. For further information see Dr. Thomas B. Knopp, local chairman, or write The Boy Scouts of America, Uvalde, Texas.

MAKES A LONG DRIVE.

David Holloway, the 15-year old son of Mr. Will Holloway, who accompanied his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Grover C. Goff, on their trip to Colorado which terminated in the death of Mr. Goff at Pueblo, Colorado, was left to bring back Mr. Goff's car alone. He made the trip of over a thousand miles in four days, arriving safely in San Antonio Monday.

Considering the age of this youth, it was a rather remarkable trip and his arrival brought considerable relief to an anxious father.

FOR SALE.

25 Four-month old roosters, S. C. White Leghorn, Tom Barron Strain. These roosters are super-stock. Price \$1.50 each.

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QUIHI NOTES.

Regular divine service at the Lutheran Church Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. Sunday school and Bible Class at 9 o'clock. All cordially invited to attend.

Rev. G. W. Sager of Southland came to Quihi Tuesday as announced, but as a thunderstorm came at about 8 o'clock the people dispersed and the lecture was abandoned, much to the regret of the reverend gentleman.

The next Luther League program will be given Sunday night, 25th. This program promises to be interesting and profitable to all church choir will render several fine selections. Other musicians will be given as follows: Margaret Reitzer, Miss Lisette instrumental music selected by Alma Grell and male quartet led by Mr. Walter Grell. Readings by Albert Mumme, Miss Lizzie H. Mann, Nora Schuehle and Saathoff; declamations by Pauline Graff and Anna Mae man, lecture by the pastor.

CARD OF THANKS.

We take this means of extending our thanks to the public for the expressions of sympathy and kindly assistance at the funeral of the late Jesse A. Mask. We are especially grateful to the choir for beautiful music and to all donors of the beautiful flowers.

Gratefully,
THE MASK FAMILY.

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FOR SALE—The Fritz Stiegler 155-acre farm on Richter road, four miles southwest of Hondo and west of Taylor-Johnson oil well. All in cultivation, good tenant house, good well and good fences. Fertile, chocolate loam soil. Four mules, wagon, and all farm implements and owner's half-interest in present crop all to go at \$70.00 an acre on easy terms. If you need a farm seize this opportunity now. For further particulars see the owner, Fritz Stiegler, or Fletcher Davis of the Hondo Land Co., agent, Hondo, Texas

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 9.

A joint Resolution relating to the amending of Article 16, Section 58, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, abolishing the Board of Prison Commissioners; providing for the supervision and management of the Prison System, under such laws as may be provided for by the Legislature.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. That Article 16, Section 58 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

Section 58. The Legislature shall have full power and authority to provide by law for the management and control of the Prison System of Texas and to this end shall have power and authority to place the Prison System under the supervision, management and control of such trained and experienced officer or officers, as the Legislature may from time to time provide for by law.

SECTION 2. The above Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at a general election to be held November 3, 1926, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballot the words "For the amendment of Article 16, Section 58, of the Constitution, abolishing the Board of Prison Commissioners." And all those opposing said amendment shall write or have printed on their ballot the words "Against the amendment of Article 16, Section 58, of the Constitution, abolishing the Board of Prison Commissioners."

SECTION 3. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by law.

SECTION 4. The sum of 5,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of the funds of the Treasury of the State, and not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

Approved, April 4, 1925.

EMMA GRIGSBY MEHARG,
Secretary of State.

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PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 10.

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution providing for taxation of school lands owned by counties.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. That Article 7 of the Constitution of the State of Texas shall be amended by adding after Section 6 thereof 6a, which shall read as follows:

Section 6a. All agriculture or grazing school land mentioned in Section 6 of this Article owned by any county shall be subject to taxation except for State purposes to the same extent as lands privately owned.

SECTION 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, A. D. 1926, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon "For the Constitutional amendment providing for taxation of all agriculture or grazing school land owned by any county to the same extent as land privately owned."

SECTION 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State. The expense of publication and election for such amendment shall be paid out of proper appropriation made by law.

Approved, April 4, 1925.

EMMA GRIGSBY MEHARG,
Secretary of State.

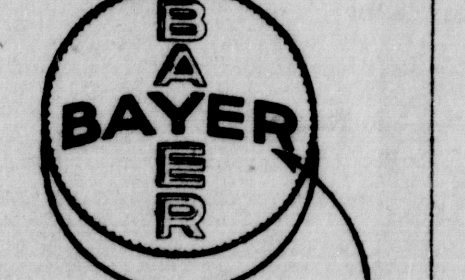
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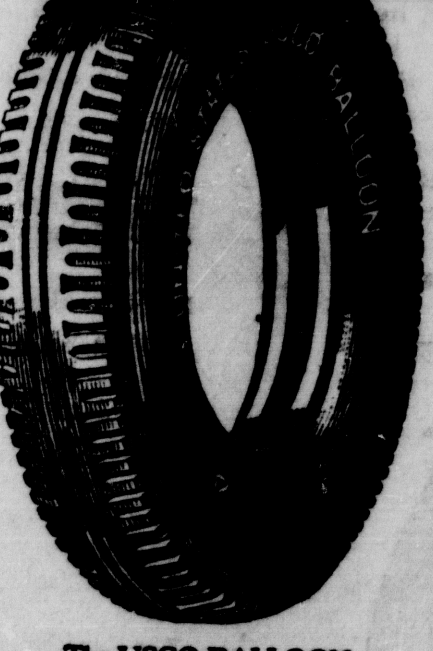
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